

Remarks

Applicants request entry of this amendment prior to examination. This application is a divisional CPA of application number 09/297,181. The examiner was previously examining the subject matter of original claims 28-44 and 47. Applicants submit new claims directed to the group of claims reciting antibodies to p53, as exemplified by the antibody 11D3 of applicants' specification (see page 29).

Applicants respectfully submit that this application is in condition for allowance.

Applicants also enclose a certified priority document and an English translation perfecting the claim to priority to FR 96 13176.

Applicants enclose an unexecuted declaration for new inventor Claude Caron de Fromentel, who is an inventor of the subject matter of the new claims.

Applicants are submitting a filing fee for a CPA in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.53(d)(3) and 1.16, and an extension of time and fee. If any additional fees, petitions, or requests for extension of time are required in order to enter or consider this paper, enter or consider any of the claims submitted, enter or consider any paper accompanying this paper, or keep this application or the previous application pending, applicants hereby request that the petition or request be granted and applicants' representative hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-1129 for any fees.

Respectfully submitted,
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